

# BIG SANDY NEWS

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M. F. CONLEY, Jr.

## GO TO PRIMARY

And Vote for James B. McCreary for Governor.

Saturday, July 1st, is the Date. An Appeal From a Local Democrat to Fellow Citizens.

To the Democrats of Lawrence county:

On next Saturday, July 1st, the polls will be opened in each voting precinct, beginning at six o'clock a. m., and closing at 4 p. m., for the purpose of nominating a democratic ticket for the various offices in the State, all of which are of great importance to the people; and as a democrat of Lawrence county I urge each and every democrat to go to the polls and vote for Hon. James B. McCreary for Governor, and not only vote but use every honorable means with your neighbor to see that he goes to the polls and votes for McCreary. It is of the greatest importance that he be nominated, as his nomination means his election. Your interests and mine will be looked after by him in such a way that all of the people will receive fair play, as he has never failed to stand for the farmer and the great masses when he was in office, and your trust will never be betrayed.

A Democrat of Lawrence County.

## McLeod-Wright Nuptials.

One of the prettiest home weddings which has ever occurred in the vicinity of Catlettsburg was that of Miss Anna Wright and Mr. Kenneth N. McLeod, at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Sophia Wright, Wednesday morning. Only the immediate family and a few friends witnessed the union.

The bride is a granddaughter of the Rev. Joseph Wright, who was one of the best known residents of the Kavanaugh neighborhood, and her mother a daughter of Mr. Coon Walls.

Mr. McLeod is a Canadian by birth, and a Government engineer by profession. He is one among the Government's most trusted employees, and is now stationed at Foster, Ky., for where he, with his fair bride, left on train No. 3 amid showers of rice and heartiest congratulations, to reside.

This wedding has local color from the fact that Mr. McLeod and his brother J. M. are well known in Louisa. When the Langhorns were operating their steam shovel in this vicinity some years ago, the McLeods made this place their residence and were much liked by all who knew them.

## JENKINS, KY.

Concerning this wonderful city of the mountains the Cincinnati Enquirer of recent date has the following:

Jenkins, Ky., is now in the course of preparation for the position it will occupy in the Elkhorn district. Contracts have been let for the building of a modern bank building, a hotel building, stores and shops, together with 1,000 model mining houses. Work on these will be begun within a month. The National Bank of Jenkins has been organized and will open for business on July 1. With the mining and railroad activities about it, it is claimed that the town will be among the most important in Kentucky.

The Elkhorn district comprises 100,000 acres, and is owned by the Consolidated Coal Company, composed largely of Baltimore capital.

## IS ON HIS NATIVE HEATH.

Mr. John J. McCoy, formerly of Martin county, is here from Washington, his adopted State, for a brief visit. Mr. McCoy paid an early visit to this office and talked enthusiastically of his home beyond the Rockies. Mr. McCoy went to Washington in 1907, and, unlike others who have gone far from Sandy water, has no desire to come back to stay. He is 73 years old, hearty and strong, and a man of much intelligence.

## S. S. S. Celebration.

If "safe, sane and sensible" means "nothing doing," Louisa is to have this sort of a Fourth of July celebration this year. In past years the burden of the celebration has been borne by a few, who were generally too tired when the day came to enjoy it very much. This year the promoters have much else to do, and we will be content to wave out Old Glory and pass the day in peace, leaving others to pass it in pieces. However, come to town with the children and have a pleasant outing, free from care. It's the last holiday before school troubles begin for the young ones, and they will enjoy coming to town.

## Her Ninth.

Miss Ellen Hughes summoned many of her young friends to her handsome home last Saturday, the occasion being the ninth anniversary of her birth, June 24, 1902. They all came, and the good looking lads and winsome lasses, in groups on the wide porches and spacious lawn made a pretty picture. Games and goodies of the very goodest kind entertained the budding young ladies and gentlemen, and all voted it the time of their lives. Each guest appropriately remembered the young hostess of this pleasant occasion.

## Will Build Up Potter's Fork.

The Lexington and Eastern railroad will build a branch six miles long up Potter's fork up the main Boone's fork to part of the holdings of the Consolidated Coal Company where the company will at once start building a model mining town.

Potter's fork is the present terminal of the Lexington and Eastern now being rapidly rushed to completion. The contract for the new extension will be let at once and construction rushed to completion before the end of the year. —Lexington Leader.

## A FEW SUGGESTIONS

As to a Strong Ticket to Vote for in the Primary.

The following suggestions as to the strongest ticket that can be nominated by the Democratic primary Saturday has come as the result of diligent inquiry from a few prominent Democrats who have no personal interest, but who want to pick men who can win in November. So many voters know nothing about the various candidates that they are asking on all sides for this very information. This is our only reason for publishing it. It is not a "slate," and nobody is urged to follow it if they have any objections or suspicions about it.

McCreary for Governor.  
McDermott for Lieutenant-Gov.  
Boysworth for Auditor.  
Hamlett for Supt. of Public Instruction.

Newman for Com. of Agriculture.  
For Clerk of Court of Appeals the honors are about even.

Garnett will probably win for Attorney General, but the mountains are expected to vote heavily for Pollard.

The temperance forces have declared against some candidates in the primary, but none of those men appear in the above list. This fact has not unduly influenced the selection of these names, but is worth mentioning in this connection.

All Democrats should vote for every candidate who has no opposition, so as to boost them.

## TOO LATE FOR OPERATION.

Dennis Selridge, of near Paintsville, was brought to Louisa by Dr. Daniel, Paintsville, Monday last and taken to Riverview hospital. He was suffering with peritonitis, and was brought here in the hope that an operation might save his life, but an examination showed that it was too late and the young man was taken back on the evening train. He was 18 years old.

The Young People's Missionary Society of the M. E. Church, South, was entertained by Miss Jeanne McClure with a picnic in Fountain Park Thursday.

## WITHDRAWS.

Paynter Quits the Race for U. S. Senator.

Leaves a Clear Field for Ollie James in the Primary of Next Saturday.

The following is the card issued by Senator Paynter announcing his withdrawal:

"To the Democrats of Kentucky:

In December last, almost in the middle of my term as Senator, the Democratic Committee ordered a primary in which was included the question as to who should be the Democratic candidate before the next General Assembly to succeed me in the Senate. Congress was then in session. At the close of that session an extraordinary session was called, and now continues. If the weather had permitted my public duties would not have allowed me to make such a canvass as was necessary to bring to the attention of the Democratic voters my candidacy as should have been done.

Last summer, during the time I had intended to canvass the State, four members of my family were stricken with typhoid fever, which necessitated my remaining home for eight weeks, after which my public duties called me from the State for several weeks, hence during the past year I have had no opportunity to canvass the State.

"Doubtful Condition in Louisville.

"Notwithstanding this, I have no doubt I could have won the nomination in the primary, but a condition has arisen in Louisville which renders my success at least doubtful. In view of that condition, I am inclined not to incur the legitimate and necessary expense incident to perfecting such an organization as would be required to meet the present situation. I am unwilling that my friends should incur such an expense, or that they should attempt to overcome that condition by the extraordinary effort that might be required.

"I have ever been willing to meet difficulties, and in the past have overcome many in order to achieve success, but I do not think my friends should expect me to do so in the present condition of affairs.

"After the primary an effort will have to be made to insure a Democratic Legislature. As this observation may be misconstrued I will add that I believe the legislature will be Democratic. I merely desire to say that in view of the present condition to which I have alluded, I am unwilling to incur the legitimate expenses above referred to, and to assume the burden of that which must follow in the event of my nomination.

## But One Regret.

"I have but one regret in reaching this conclusion, and that is, the disappointment my action may bring to many of my friends, whose loyalty and confidence I deeply appreciate. My name will continue on the ballot. But I ask my friends to cease their efforts in my behalf, and to abstain from voting for me, for I now withdraw from the race.

"I desire to express the hope that the primary election for State offices may be conducted in such a way as not to result in dissension in our ranks. In view of the promising outlook for a national Democratic victory, I regard it of vast importance that the supremacy of the Democratic party be maintained in our State.

"In conclusion, I desire to thank my friends for their confidence in me and their efforts, in my behalf. I shall ever appreciate what the Democrats of Kentucky have done for me, and especially am I grateful to the Democrats of Northeastern Kentucky, who, in the past have given me their cordial and loyal support.

"T. H. PAYNTER."

## Destroy the Weeds.

The News invites the attention of the municipal authorities and the Board of Health to the Weed nuisance. No warning should be needed, but we all grow indifferent and continue so until aroused by some disaster which could have been averted. From one end to another the gutters of most of the streets are choked with weeds and grass. These catch and retain all sorts of stuff, much of which decays and becomes a menace to health. These jungles on both sides of many of our streets are the birthplaces and hiding places of myriads of predatory mosquitoes, now known to be the active carriers of disease, as well as intolerable pests. There is not the slightest excuse for the existence of these evils, unsightly and dangerous. The work of cleaning up, thoroughly and at once, should be done by order of the city council. It not done by this body our people should have civic pride enough to do it themselves, each man on and near his own premises.

Stagnant water, foul gutters, acres of dog fennel and other weeds are preventable, and to permit their presence is only a little short of criminal.

## Numerous Petitions.

Nearly four hundred individual petitions have been sent to the postmaster general asking that Sunday mail service at this place be discontinued. The postmaster and his assistant here are entitled to their one day of rest, and there is in fact very little use for a Sunday mail. A mail goes out as late as six o'clock p. m. Saturday and the discomfort of waiting in the mob which congregates in the office on Sunday night more than offsets any advantage gained by getting mail at that time. This paper is "sorry," but it is of the opinion that the days of happy meetings at the post-office on Sunday night are nearly over.

## BUSSEYVILLE OIL WELL.

Work of Drilling Will Begin the First of Next Week.

The well to be drilled for oil on the farm of W. D. O'Neal, Sr., six miles southwest of Louisa, will be started next week, by the Busseyville Oil & Gas Company. A sufficient amount of stock has been sold to pay the entire cost of the well. It is almost entirely a local company and the promoters are proud of their success.

The contract for drilling the well was let to Tom Hayes, of this place. He has engaged as drillers Chris Lawrence and A. F. Garver. The derrick is ready and the machinery on the ground. The drillers will be here the last of this week, after the completion of a well they are drilling on Wolf Creek, in Martin county.

## SPICK AND SPAN.

The R. T. Burns residence looks like a new building in its just-painted dress of paint. It presents a most attractive appearance, and the whole interior has been made to accord with the outside. For weeks it has been in the hands of men who were artists in their line. Hardwood floors have been laid in the rooms and halls and on the stairways, and the work for style and finish can not be surpassed. The workmen, Elkins and Wendt, of Cincinnati, are, to use a little slang, on to their job.

## CALLED BY DEATH OF FATHER.

Dr. L. D. Jones, the Louisa dentist, has returned from Buckingham county, Va., where he had been called by the sudden death of his father, L. D. Jones, Sr. Mr. Jones died of heart failure at the age of 74, leaving a widow and twelve children, all of whom except one brother who was detained by illness, were present at the burial.

Mrs. Charles A. Kirk, formerly of this city, was operated upon in Ashland last week. The operation was a delicate one and Mrs. Kirk is said to be doing well.

## JENKINS.

Interesting Facts About the Mountain City.

Will Break Many Records Within the Next Two Years. Plans Laid on Big Scale.

The welkin rings in Elkhorn. The spirit of progress is everywhere evident. There is an awakening in store for the once sleeping hills that overlook the beautiful valley; the stately oak, the mighty forest, all, is being transformed into a town of immense proportion—the city of Jenkins. The great coal fields hereabouts will soon be open to the world. Here the Consolidated Coal Co., a corporation of which this section should feel proud, came a few months ago and drove the first stakes looking to the establishment of the largest coal operations in the country with the expenditure of millions of dollars in the project.

A temporary light and power plant is being installed as rapidly as possible which will suffice for the present. Later a more up-to-date and modern plant will take its place. Work was started sometime ago on a concrete dam across Elkhorn which is to furnish the water supply for the different operations. Construction is well under way on a large hotel, a boarding house, some large barns and many residences. Hundreds of carpenters are already employed while hundreds of others are wanted. For other work, such as building tramroads, grading streets, cutting timber, teamsters, etc., hundreds of hands are wanted at good wages.

Three sawmills are running full time converting the forests into building material, while two other mills are to be installed at once. Steps have already been taken looking to the organization of a banking institution for the benefit of the company's employees. A school building adapted to the needs of the progressive town will be built at once and Jenkins will have a school this year. Though 20 miles from Hellier a special carrier is making daily trips to supply the town with mail, but later Uncle Sam will do that part of the business.

Modern ideas, brilliant in their conception, will thoroughly characterize the town of Jenkins—its building and make-up. Thoroughness in detail is everywhere apparent—they are not doing things by halves. Not one thing looking to the comfort and convenience of the company's employees will be lacking. In brief, everything will be modern and up-to-date a twentieth-century marvel—and Eastern Kentuckians will look upon the town with pride.

Dr. Gambill, a leading young physician who comes from the Consolidated's plant at Van Lear, Jackson county, arrived a few days ago and will have an office at the Walker House.

It will be almost a year before the railroad is completed to the scene of operations at Jenkins, but rapid preparations are being made and everything will be in readiness for the shipping of coal at the "rock" of the first train into the "magic city."

The brick plant that will supply brick for the best buildings in Jenkins is now in active operation. When thoroughly started the plant will have a capacity of from 25,000 to 30,000 brick per day.

To show the progressiveness of the Consolidation and to meet the demands of the public an ice plant is under construction and will be completed as rapidly as possible. —People's Advocate.

That Jenkins is bound to soon be quite a city is further evidenced by the following Pittsburgh special of local interest:

"One of the largest building contracts ever secured by a Pittsburgh company was awarded this week to Nicola Building Company, to erect houses, churches, schools and a theatre in the new mining town of Jenkins, Letcher county, Ky. The construction was authorized by the Consolidated Coal Com-

pany, which owns 100,000 acres of coal land in that region.

The buildings will number close to 1,000 and will be distributed along valleys fifteen miles in extent. Fourteen mines will be opened by the company, and shipments will be over the Chesapeake and Ohio and the Louisville and Nashville, which roads are extending their lines to Jenkins. The Nicola Building Company is putting up sawmills, planing mills, brick yards, lime kilns and blacksmith shops on the property, now virgin forest, and will thus produce nearly all materials needed in building construction.

"The company is also to construct a macadamized boulevard several miles long and a lake a mile wide, on the shores of which the mining company officials will locate Waterworks and an electric light plant are planned. Oliver P. Nicola, president of the Nicola Building Company, is on the ground supervising the preliminary operations."

In none of the many accounts published concerning this almost magic city of Jenkins have we seen any mention of the Cold Water Fork the stream on which the city will be built. The stream has its genesis in a spring of great size which bursts from the side of a mountain not far from the site of the future city. The water is pure and icy cold and is of great volume. A dam will be built across the Cold Fork at a proper distance below this spring, by which and from the reservoir so formed the town will be supplied with an abundance of water. Near this point there are several acres of level land. When the dam is full the water will spread to this level tract, forming a lake of considerable extent, and on its shores the resident officials of the Consolidated Company will build handsome homes.

To those who are not familiar with the actual conditions much which is being said of Jenkins has the smack of the "Gilded Age." Those who are cognizant of the facts know that what is here related is sober truth.

## ALLEGED HORSE THIEF.

Silas Conn Brought From Pike to Lawrence County by Officers.

Silas Conn, alias Henry Jarrell, hailing from Lawrence, Morgan, Elliott and Pike counties, with several precincts to be heard from.

now in the Lawrence jail, charged with having an undue liking for a horse. Those who read the county correspondence in this paper—and you miss lots of news if you don't—may recall an item published not long ago to the effect that a horse had been stolen in the upper Blaine country and was found not long afterwards hidden under a big cliff. The trail was taken up and followed until, after many days of tiresome travel, Conn was caught. The chase ended in Pike county, not far from the Virginia line. The horse had been abandoned shortly after it had been stolen and was recovered by its owner. Conn was brought to Louisa and lodged in jail. He will have an examining trial on Thursday, June 29. It is said that since his apprehension Conn has admitted his guilt, confessing to having stolen two more horses. This is doubted by those who know the man and his methods.

## THE FIRST "TEEN."

On Thursday evening, last, several of the young friends of Miss Jane Garlot helped her celebrate the thirteenth anniversary of her birth. Everything possible was done by the charming young lady to make the occasion a pleasant one, and success crowned the endeavor. Music and delicious refreshments were very much in evidence, and greatly enjoyed by the happy crowd. As mementos of her party Miss Jane has many tangible evidences of the esteem in which she is deservedly held by her many young friends.

## SCHOOL BOARD ELECTION.

The News again announces that the qualified voters of Louisa will hold an election for School Board Saturday, July 1. The election will be held at the court house and will be viva voce.



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## INTEREST MANY STATES

Important News Gathered from Abroad for the  
Benefit of Our Readers.

John H. Durnham, of Williamsport Ky., has a male hog weighing 300 pounds.

Standing united under the leadership of John S. Williams a majority of the Democrats of the Senate has declared that the reciprocity bill must pass unamended.

Seventy thousand dollars was raised at a session of the Baptist World's Alliance in Philadelphia for the Baptist seminary in St. Petersburg.

The pumping out of the coffer dam surrounding the wreck of the old battleship Maine shows that the condition of the wreck is worse than was anticipated.

Representative Swager Sherley, of Kentucky, introduced an amendment to the pure food and drugs act prohibiting false and misleading statements as to the curative value of a medicinal preparation on patent medicine labels.

King George V. and Queen Mary were crowned in Westminster Abbey Thursday. It is said to have been the most brilliant coronation in history and the British people paid most enthusiastic tribute to their sovereign.

Probably the most historic building in all the mountains was burned recently at the little town of Cumberland Gap, five miles from Middlesboro. This building had housed four generations, and was in the Civil War the headquarters of Gen. Longstreet.

Miss Elizabeth Graft, a pretty German girl, was met at the pier at Baltimore by her husband-to-be, George Eggers, a Kentuckian, whom she had never seen. Correspondence was their modus operandi of courtship.

Literally buried under nine million dollars in gold, Wadsworth S. Williams, an employee of the San Francisco mint, was so badly injured that his recovery is doubtful. The gold in sacks, toppled in on the mint vaults and overwhelmed Williams, who was wheeling a truck.

A bill prohibiting any postoffice from remaining open on Sunday for the delivery of mail to the public has been introduced in Congress by Representative Jas. R. Mann. This is in line with the announced policy of the Postoffice Department.

Rain which began at sunset and poured down constantly throughout the night brought bitter disappointment to hordes of people who were bent upon fittingly celebrating after dark as a climax to the royal progress of King George and Queen Mary through the streets of London Friday.

don Friday.

William Anderson, a stone setter fell from the twenty-eighth floor of the new Bankers' Trust Company building at the corner of Wall and Nassau streets, New York. The man's body was frightfully mangled. A crowd of 5,000 persons jammed the streets in the excitement that followed the fall.

It was just after the lunch hour and Anderson had resumed his work at the top of the building, when he fell. The body struck a stone cornice four stories from the street. It fell in the center of Wall street, and the spectacle was the most horrible ever seen there.

### LOGAN, W. VA.

Dear Editor:—

I would like for my neighbors to know what kind of a country this is. The country is all O. K. but there are 25 Hungarians here to one American. The third day of last month I saw 20 gallons of whiskey come here and there were about 200 Hungarians all in one fight. One policeman and four other Americans there was a scratching old time. One driver was hurt slightly. There was a man killed in the mines by a motor.

We have had no rain for some time. Whiskey is starving people out in this country. About 75 gallons of whiskey come to this place every week. They call this a dry county, but I can't see it that way. Well this is all. People, do all you can against liquor.

ALLEN BILLUPS.

### PROSPERITY.

Sunday school at Lower Bushy school house is progressing nicely with large attendance.

Married, June 22, the beautiful daughter of our deputy sheriff, Hugi Cordie, Miss Martha, to Linzie Moore, a promising young gentleman of Little Blaine. May their future be bright.

Mrs. J. C. Carter and daughter Miss Zona were shopping at Blaine Tuesday.

Mrs. Frank Evans is very sick at this writing.

Mrs. R. C. Moore and children, of Columbus, are expected home to spend the summer with her father.

The pie mite at Blaine was quite a success.

Misses Gracie Moore and Zona Carter is preparing for a visit to Fallsburg soon.

Luther Burton, of Lick Creek, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Mattie Wellman, this week.

Mrs. Willy Moore visited her brother, J. C. Carter last week.

Mrs. C. F. Osborn was shopping at Prosperity Friday.

Miss Effie Pigg entertained a number of friends Sunday.

The little son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Osborn is very sick.

Ollie Bolling was visiting friends on Big Branch Sunday.

C. F. Osborn attended Sunday school at Cordell Sunday.

George Lawson and family was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Harve Lawson Saturday night.

Miss Zona Carter entertained a number of friends Saturday night and Sunday.

Mrs. Katie Skaggs, who has been sick, is improving.

Mrs. Willy Moore contemplates a visit to Hilliards, Ohio, soon.

hompson and Leo Berry and Jim Carter made their regular call Sunday.

Honeybunch.

### DURBIN.

A large crowd from this place attended the children's day services at Buchanan Sunday.

J. P. Strother recently sold his interest in the oil well on Bob Pritchard's farm to Harry Berry, of Ashland, Ky.

Mrs. Ed Hatten, who has been sick for some time, is improving.

Miss Stella Newman, of Kenova is visiting relatives at this place.

There will be a line shower given in honor of Miss Nora Black at Mrs. Nan Strother, this week. Miss Black is the bride to be of Mr. Joe Chapman, of Gallup.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. John Ross the 25th, a fine boy.

Dr. J. W. Bellomy was transacting business here at this place Monday.

Joe Riddle was transacting business in Catlettsburg Saturday.

Miss Maggie McKnight, who has been spending several weeks in Huntington has returned home for the summer.

John Riddle, Sr., is very ill at this writing.

Pony Boy.

## KENTUCKY NEIGHBORS.

Official census reports received at the office of the State Superintendent of public instruction show there are 225,557 children in Kentucky of school age. Of this number only thirty-five percent actually attend school, while the statistics show negroes attend school better than the whites.

Kentucky, to live shame, must admit she is a leader in illiteracy and her most urgent need is more drastic laws along the line of compulsory education.

Much significance is attached to movements now on foot in various sections of Breathitt county, aimed at law breaking and disorderly conduct. The order loving people at Lost Creek have organized a league which promises to come out in the open and put up fight against disorder.

At Calla, Mr. James Muir recently built and donated a church which was dedicated Sunday. Formerly this section was one of the worst in the county, but the influence of the good people of the neighborhood, who will use this as a center of moral influence, is expected to transform conditions.

It has been suggested that law and order leagues be organized throughout the county, with a head or central organization in Jackson. Just as soon as effective working organizations are found in all sections, the tide of wrong doing will begin to turn, and Breathitt be relieved from the odium which has so long clung to her.

Headerson has discharged the Board of Health which closed a public well in Barret Park and has gone to court over the question of re-opening the well. Remember the strong temperance talk the Town Pump once gave us in its initiation. "Walk up, walk up, gentlemen, and have a drink of Adams' Ale!" And how mother would point to the little fly crawling up the window pane and admonish baby to tender consideration for all helpless creatures. Now, we close the wells as cess pools of infection, and "swat" the fly as man's chief enemy. Once we heard an old-time preacher refer to the fly as a scavenger, which the Almighty had sent as a blessing to man. Well, he may be right, at that. A providentially sent fly, that won't wipe its feet, isn't much worse than a man, "made in the image of God," who spits on the sidewalk.—Paducah Sun.

The business man who saves a dollar or two a year by using "sloppy" and insartistic printed stationery, such as letter heads, bill heads, statements, tags, etc., stands a chance of losing hundreds by the impression of cheapness and stinginess that he conveys to every man who sees any of it. Nothing pays so well as neat business stationery and the difference in cost over the other kind is too small to consider.

## Tutt's Pills

After eating, persons of a bilious habit will derive great benefit by taking one of these pills. If you have been DRINKING TOO MUCH, they will promptly relieve the nausea, and nervousness which follows, restore the appetite and remove gloomy feelings. Elegantly sugar coated. No Substitute.

## WEST VIRGINIA NEIGHBORS.

### NEWS FROM COUNTIES JUST ACROSS THE RIVER IN WEST VIRGINIA.

We venture the assertion that Logan is building up faster than any town of its size in the State. And every building that is erected is a good one.—Logan Democrat.

Kenova with a population of less than 1500 made the greatest increase in postal receipts of any town or city in West Virginia.

Postmaster Holt will receive an increase of \$400.00 per year in his salary as the result of the increased business.

Suit has been filed at Elkins, W. Va., by prosecuting attorney H. G. Kump against the estate of late Senator S. B. Elkins, and his executors for \$1,087,697.90, claimed to be due for taxes and interest on property alleged not to have been listed for taxes.

French Creek, a farming community of about two hundred in Randolph county, was almost destroyed by fire last Saturday morning, and many families are living in barns or staying with their more fortunate neighbors. The fire was started by burglars who blew the safe in the postoffice. Before the flames had been stopped, eighteen dwellings, besides the postoffice and general store, were destroyed. The burglars escaped. The loss is estimated at \$50,000.

The department of Justice will send several investigators into West Virginia in the near future to look into the reports of peonage by lumber companies of this state. The reports have reached Washington that a number of cases have been reported from lumber camps in this state, which may lead to criminal prosecution of the guilty parties.

Governor Glasscock has announced the reappointment for six years of John A. Sheppard as a member of the state board of control. Attorney Sheppard's home is at Williamson and he was appointed July 1, 1909, for a term of two years; the board being created at that time. The reappointment dates from July 1, 1911.

There was a large attendance at the regular meeting of Wayne lodge No. 18 A. F. and A. M. Saturday night. Roy Holland, P. H. Ingram and Jas. Jones were made Master Masons. It was election night and the following officers were elected for the ensuing Masonic year: Barney Davis, Master; Benton Mosser, Senior Warden; Roy Holland, Junior Warden; C. E. Walker, Secretary; L. M. Sansom, Senior Deacon; W. J. Smith, Junior Deacon and Joseph Ferguson, Tyler.

A central switchboard will be installed in the Wayne News office at Wayne, and all the various lines will there be connected, as well as the general line which will connect the county system with the long distance line of the Southern Bell, operated through Huntington. The system, when in complete working order, as it will be within the next month, will give Wayne county a more nearly general rural telephone system than any other county in the state will have. Hundreds of farmers, living from one to five miles off the main lines of this system have, at their own expense, extended wires to their homes.

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### PIKETON, OHIO.

Luther Peters, who has been sick for some time with typhoid fever, has been improving very fast in the last few days.

G. G. Peters is constructing a sand washer for Judge Ranan, of Portsmouth, O.

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## County News Items

Interesting Facts Gathered During the Week by Our Regular Correspondents.

### TWIN BRANCH.

George Walden, of Chattahoochee, W. Va., has returned home.

Donnie Chaffin attended church at Morgan creek Sunday.

Miss Hazel Jordan who has been sick, is improving.

Misses Sarah Adkins and Kittle Jobe were called to the bedside of their sick sister Sunday.

Charlie Prince, of Chillicothe, O., is expected home soon.

Miss Hester Adkins is on the sick list.

Uncle Hiram Adkins, who has been sick some time, is slowly improving.

Arthur Foster, of Madge, attended church here Sunday.

Sunday School was organized last Sunday, to meet every Sunday at 2 P. M.

Harry Preece will farm with Robert Jordan this summer.

John Spillman will farm with George Diamond this summer.

Little Fielden Spillman had the misfortune to fall and break his arm while swinging on a grape vine Saturday.

Dr. Carter was on our creek Saturday.

Misses Hester and Sarah Adkins will go to Greensburg county soon, to spend the summer.

Grover Adkins of Fuller station, visited his uncle, Hiram Adkins Sunday.

Arthur Spillman is very sick.

Miss Effie Spillman is on the sick list this week.

Write 2 Me.

### WAS FIGHT FOR LIFE.

It was a long and bloody battle to life that was waged by James B. Merahan, of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages, and was very weak and run down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began, three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hoarseness, grippe, asthma, hay fever or any throat or lung trouble its supreme. 50c and 1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes.

### DONITHAN.

The sick of our community are improving.

M. J. Vinson and family of Inez, Ky., are visiting home folks this week.

Joe Merchant, of this place, made a business trip to Louisa last Monday.

Misses Mary and Hettie Burke, of Walbridge, attended church at this place Sunday.

Remember the communion meeting third Sunday, July. Also at Clifford second Sunday.

Miss Brook Vinson, of Louisa, is visiting friends here this week.

Robert and Fred Vinson, of Louisa, were visiting their sister, Mrs. Joe Merchant Saturday.

Thursa Maynard and Brook Vinson made a trip to Gallup Monday.

Archie Chapman, of this place, called on home folks at Fort Gay Tuesday.

Trimble and Keither Chapman were visiting Sprucey friends Saturday night.

Mrs. Harrison Lambert and son Lindsey were calling on her daughter, Mrs. Rowland Endicott of Web, W. Va.

Chas. Maynard made a business trip to Louisa last week.

Two Cousins.

### STONE BRANCH.

O. B. Scott made his return home from a visit to W. M. O'Bryan's, his wife's relative.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Lykins, left here for their home at Torchlight, Ky. They have been visiting their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. George Castle for the past two weeks.

Miss Alvin Williamson and Mrs.

Emma Kirk made a business trip to Big Creek, W. Va., Saturday.

Mrs. Harrison Compton is visiting her sisters, Mary and Frankie Trussell, at Ulrich creek, W. Va.

Mrs. Rose Anglin is visiting her daughter, Mrs. George Altizer, at Cora, W. Va.

O. B. Scott, the store manager of the Stone Branch Coal Company, will take Mr. Clark's place for a while at Cora. Mr. Clark will go to Hot Springs, for his health.

The little son of Frank Wright that the mule kicked is a little better.

Mrs. Carrie Lowe and two daughters, Mary and Emma, made a trip to Huntington last week.

A picnic is to be given at Big Creek for Logan county. All are welcome to come.

The Stone Branch Coal Co. will be pleased to see the work start up as they are anxious to see their new houses filled with the best of people.

The little daughter of Mrs. Alvin Williamson is on the mend since she has returned as Kentucky did not agree with Wallata.

You Stop.

### Here is Relief for Women.

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### SMOKY VALLEY.

Miss Tilda Cyrus and Fred Wellman surprised their many friends here last Saturday by slipping away and going to Louisa and were married. Her mother was hoeing corn in the field at the time, and Fred passing by went down to his uncle's, a little piece below and waiting there till the bride could get away. The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cyrus, the groom the son of Sanders Wellman, of Pleasant Ridge, both beautiful and attractive young people. They have gone to Oregon to make their home. The bride was dressed in a beautiful suit of white lace. May their paths be strewn with flowers is the wish of the writers.

Bro. Hulet failed to fill his appointment here Sunday on account of the heavy rains.

Jink Burchett of Christmas was calling on friends here Sunday.

Fred See, of Lick creek, was calling at J. N. Roberts Sunday.

Fred Roberts is our champion hunter. Last week he killed three foxes, three ground hogs, one skunk two crows and several other game. He needs the praise of Smoky Valley.

Mrs. H. H. Jobe, of Osle, passed here Saturday en route to Cincinnati where she will join her husband.

Misses Samantha and Hannah Nelson were shopping at Louisa recently.

Maud Blankenship, of Greasy, passed here Sunday.

Miss Martha Roberts and Fred See were calling on Georgia Hutchinson Sunday.

Willie Wellman attended Sunday school here Sunday.

Mrs. Wirt Muncy, of Ashland, and Miss Emma, were calling at J. A. Hutchinson's Friday.

George Diamond and Robert Roberts, of Zella, were the guests of home folks Saturday.

O. Honey.

### Work Will Soon Start

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### LETITIA.

Rev. Jas. Rayborne preached a very interesting sermon to a large congregation Sunday.

We are sorry to hear of the serious illness of Mrs. Alvin Gibson.

Miss Ella Shoer is visiting her father at New Boston, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. John Prichard and little son, Germa, of Eggart, attended church at Beechy Sunday.

The death of Mrs. Jas. Queen was a shock to her many friends and relatives of this community.

Mrs. Queen had long been a sufferer of that dreaded disease, consumption. She leaves a husband and four children, besides a host of friends and relatives to

mourn her loss. The eldest son, Ray, was called to the bedside of his dying mother from Richmond, where he was attending school.

The mother's place in that home can never be filled, but weep not dear friends for Cora, but prepare to meet her in that eternal home, where the weary are blest and no sorrow can ever come.

D. L. Fannin was on Beauty Ridge Saturday.

Olive Rice and Pearl Frazier contemplate a visit to Yatesville soon.

Mrs. Chas. Lee and little son, Brady, of Marion, Ohio, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Enoch Stone of this place.

Measles is raging in this vicinity.

Miss Gertrude Phillips is on the sick list.

Ray Queen is visiting his cousin, D. L. Fannin at this place.

Miss Estella Sprye was visiting her sister, Mrs. Harr, at Pine Grove Sunday.

Mrs. F. C. Allen was calling on Mrs. Jas. Rice Thursday.

J. V. Bentley, our merchant made a business trip to Portsmouth last week.

Miss Ella and Drew White attended church at Beauty Ridge Sunday.

Cleopatra.

### DURBIN.

John Riddle is very ill.

Miss Bess Franklin is visiting her sister at Whites Creek.

Harry Lester and Thorpe Clay are visiting friends at his place.

Jesse Riddle was visiting Miss Bessie Clarkson Sunday.

Dr. J. W. Bellomy has returned from Louisville.

Miss Maggie McKnight is visiting home folks recently.

Miss Norma Lockwood is visiting her grandparents at this place.

John McKnight, Willie Ferguson, Payver Ross and Berry Stephens attended the Sunday school convention at Grassland.

T. A. Gibson and wife are visiting home folks at this place.

Mrs. E. D. Hatten is improving slowly.

Harry Lester from Portsmouth, O. is calling on friends at this place.

Miss Mary Hatten was calling on her sister, Mrs. Jessie Cyrus.

Miss Ella Ferguson made a business trip to Catlettsburg, Saturday.

Two friends

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We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

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### BLAINE.

The ice cream festival was given at his place Saturday night and a large crowd was present.

Colbert Boggs and Miss Inka Park called on Miss Nora Bogs Sunday evening.

There was church at Nob branch Saturday and Sunday.

There is prayer meeting at this place every Monday night. Everybody invited to attend.

Robert Gibson called on friends last Wednesday.

Robert Gibson has gone to Ohio to work for a while.

Miss Vessie Gambill is visiting friends at this place.

There will be church at this place Friday, Saturday and Sunday.

A Lonely Kid.

### WHITEPOST.

Last Saturday night we had a good rain and the farmers are rejoicing.

Mr. and Mrs. Rube Farley, of Nolan, W. Va., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Johns Stepp.

Mose Stepp of Whitepost, Ky. visited relatives on Wolf Creek Saturday.

Levi Starr, who has been in the hospital at Spencer, W. Va., for

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HAY FEVER

some time, made his return Saturday and seems to be all right.

Jerry Smith, of this place, is on the sick list.

John Muncy, of this place, is getting ready to take a trip around the world. He thinks he will start the first of September.

The Big Creek boys and the boys from Goodman, W. Va., played an interesting ball game Sunday morning in favor of the Big Creek boys, score 2-1.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stepp have new croquet set now and have some very interesting games. M.V.

### SUMMIT.

Preaching at this place Sunday last conducted by Thomas New.

Jim Childers has come home to work.

Mack Moore was calling on Charley Sammons one day last week.

Mrs. John Roberts was visiting Flora Thompson.

Nan Coburn, Lucy Childers and Florence Burchett visited Mary Burchett last week.

John Vinson was on our creek Sunday.

John G. Sammons visited W. S. Chapman Sunday.

Ed Childers and Jim Williamson visited Earl and Wayne Sammons last Sunday.

Preaching here the first Sunday by G. W. Williams and the first Sunday in August preaching by Thomas New. 2 Chums.

### A Charming Woman.

is one who is lovely in face, form, mind and temper. But its hard for a woman to be charming without health. A weak, sickly woman will be nervous and irritable. Constipation and kidney poisons show in pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. But Electric Bitters always prove a godsend to women who want health, beauty and friends. They regulate Stomach, liver and Kidneys purify the blood; give strong nerves, bright eyes, pure breath, smooth, velvety skin, lovely complexion and perfect health. Try them. 50c at A. M. Hughes.

### BUCHANAN.

The childrens day program rendered at this place Sunday afternoon was quite a success. The music was furnished by Miss Lillian Scranage, of Fairmont, W. Va., who is spending the summer at this place, with her sister, Mrs. W. J. Richardson. The house was decorated with ferns and other choice flowers. The program was complete in every detail. Much praise is due the superintendent J. F. Hatten, also the young ladies for the untiring efforts in the training of the children.

Mrs. E. M. Grossman and little daughter, Marian and sister, Miss Lois Watts, of Rock Bridge, Va., were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Compton.

Captain E. B. Hobson of the C. and O. extra force spent Sunday with home folks.

Carl and Georgia Faulkner, of Ashland, are spending their vacation with grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Bromfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Layne and son, Lindsey, of Ashland, are guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lindsey Layne.

Mrs. John Kinner and two little daughters Farrell and Lucille are here for visit with relatives while en route to Sandy Hook, Ky., to join her husband, who has employment.

Mrs. T. B. Bostic and children, of Portsmouth, have returned home after a brief stay with parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dump Kinner.

Mrs. J. R. Compton and granddaughter, Miss Pearl, are visiting Mrs. Compton's daughter, Mrs. Laur Prichard, of Mavity.

W. O. Porter and family of Independence, Mo., are here for an extended visit with Mrs. Porter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hatten.

Miss Elizabeth Wright, has returned to her home in Ashland, after a visit with the family of Chas. Warren. XX.

### MARTHA.

There was church at this place Saturday and Sunday and it being communion time a large congregation was present.

Levi Chaffin and wife, of Greensburg county, are visiting in this vicinity.

During a thunderstorm last Saturday night, L. C. Gambill had a fine mare killed in the pasture with high wind.

John Kasee, Elbert Collier and Fozzo Ward started for Ohio Sunday where they expect to work for a short time.

Roscoe Wellman and Bentley Roberts passed up our creek Sunday en route to Collier Creek.

Robert Ross and wife attended church at Old Blaine last Sunday.

Dr. Holbrook, of Bruin, will go to Van Lear in the near future, where he has a position of his profession.

Proctor Sparks and wife, of Blaine were visiting at her father's Saturday. X.R.T.

## Woman's Power

## Over

Woman's most glorious endowment is the power to awaken and hold the pure and honest love of a worthy man. When she loses it and still loves one no one in the wide world can know the heart agony she endures. The woman who suffers from weakness and derangement of her special womanly organism soon loses the power to sway the heart of a man. Her general health suffers and she loses her good looks, her attractiveness, her self-reliance and her power and prestige as a woman. Dr. J. C. Pierce, of Buffalo, N. Y., the assistance of his staff of able physicians, has prescribed a successful remedy for women's ailments. It is known as Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. It is a positive specific for the weaknesses and disorders peculiar to women. It purifies, regulates, strengthens and heals. Medicine dealers sell it. No honest dealer will advise you to accept a substitute in order to make a little larger profit.

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—TO BE HELD AT—

LOUISA, KY., JULY 12 AND 13, 1911.

### PROGRAMME

#### WEDNESDAY

- 9:45—Devotional, conducted by..... Rev. Franklin Hardin.  
10:00—The Bible:  
(a)—Its History, ..... Prof. E. M. Kennison.  
(b)—Men and Nations as affected by its Teachings, ..... Thomas Hanford, D. D.  
(c)—The Sufficiency of the Bible as the Text Book of the Sunday School, ..... Rev. L. M. Copley.  
(d)—The Gospel in Song, ..... Rev. W. L. Reid.  
12:00—Announcements and adjournment.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

- 1:30—Twenty Minutes of Song Service.  
1:50—The Sunday School:  
(a)—Its Functions, ..... W. J. Vaughan.  
(b)—Its Key Men, ..... Hon. P. K. Mallin, Ashland, Ky.  
2:50—Lawrence County's Debt to the Sunday School, ..... Hon. R. T. Burns.  
3:20—A free-for-all Discussion of Sunday School Problems.  
4:00—Appointment of Committees—adjournment.

#### EVENING SESSION.

- 7:30—A Service of Song.  
7:50—Prayer for a Vision, ..... Thomas Hanford, D. D.  
8:00—Special Music.  
8:10—Address, ..... Judge T. D. Theobald, Grayson, Ky.  
8:45—Holding as we can, ..... M. S. Burns.

#### THURSDAY MORNING SESSION.

- 9:00—Devotional Service, in charge of ..... Rev. W. L. Reid.  
9:15—What we have and what we are doing, ..... O. J. Vaughan.  
9:30—The Outlook in the Magisterial Districts by district officers.  
10:00—Report of Committees.  
10:15—Building Up a Sunday School:  
(a)—Through the Cradle Roll, ..... Mrs. G. A. Kash.  
(b)—Through the Home Department, ..... H. C. Sullivan.  
(c)—Through the Organized Adult Bible Class, ..... Prof. J. B. McClure.  
(d)—Through the Teacher Training Class, ..... Prof. E. M. Kennison.  
(e)—Through Organization, ..... Rev. Franklin Hardin.  
11:00—Echoes from San Francisco, ..... Rev. L. M. Copley.  
11:25—Present Day Demands upon the Church and Sunday School, ..... W. J. Vaughan.

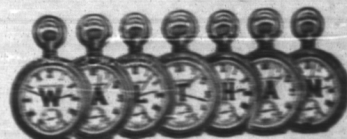
11:50—Song and Benediction. O. J. Vaughan, Secretary.

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## THE RURAL SCHOOL.

In the rural school lies the salvation of the land. If it were not for the country people pouring into the cities the cities would destroy themselves.

This was the statement of T. J. Coates, of Richmond, president of the Kentucky Educational Association, at the fortieth annual convention of the association. President Coates declared that the cry of "back to the farm" is being heard all over the country. He called upon the 500 educators in attendance to rally to the rural school and it is believed that the work of this association will result in a wonderful development in the country schools in the next few years.

President Coates is a Big Sandy product, being a native of Pike county. He will conduct the teachers' institute for Lawrence county.

## NOTICE.

The annual convention of the Lawrence county Sunday School Association will be held at Louisa Wednesday and Thursday, July 12 and 13. Each school is entitled to three delegates who should be appointed by its superintendent and their names sent to Mrs. Guy Atkinson, Louisa, Ky., not later than July the 9th.

Don't fail to come for we are expecting the best convention ever held in the county.

O. J. VAUGHAN, C. Sec.

## CASE AFTER CASE.

Plenty More Like This In Louisa.

Scores of Louisa people can tell you about Doan's Kidney Pills. Many a happy citizen makes a public statement of his experience. Here is a case of it. What better proof of merit can be had than such endorsement?

J. B. Peters, Lock St. Louisa, Ky., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have done more for me than all the other kidney remedies I have ever taken. I was in constant misery from kidney complaint. If I sat down for five or ten minutes and it attempted to get up, it seemed as if my weight was tied to my back and at such times sharp pains started through my kidneys. When I stooped, rheumatic twinges radiated throughout my body, being particularly severe in my knees, hips and joints. The kidney secretions were sometimes profuse, then again there was almost a complete retention. I also noticed that the kidney secretions heald in passage and contained sediment. When almost discouraged I began taking Doan's Kidney Pills and the comments of three boys made me feel like a different man. I shall be glad to corroborate every man that calls upon me to take every man who calls upon me."

Mr. Peters gave the above account of his experience with Doan's Kidney Pills in Jan., 1908 and when interviewed on June 21, 1909 he said: "The public statement I gave in praise of Doan's last year, still holds good. You are welcome to continue it's publication."

For sale by all Dealers. Price 10 cents. Foster-Wilburn Co. Buffalo New York sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

WOLFORD & WESTERN RAILWAY SHENANDOAH VALLEY ROUTE.

Via Hagerstown.

With change of schedule June 11, double daily service was established via the Shenandoah Valley between Branson and South West Virginia, Winston-Salem, Martinsville, Bluefield and the Coal Field districts, Hagerstown, Harrisburg, Philadelphia and New York. Through Pullman sleepers and dining cars on trains Nos. 1, 2, 13 and 14. Parties making this trip now have the opportunity to do so in the most comfortable and satisfactory manner. Map, time-tables, resort books, giving full description of this route mailed upon application. Luray Caverns, Grottoes, Natural Bridge, and the resort places in Virginia are most conveniently reached. Stopovers allowed within limit of tickets. W. B. BEILL, General Pass. Agent, Roanoke, Va. Jun23-09

## JOHN SMITH KILLED.

John Smith, who was an engineer at the saw mill of Mr. York at Hatfield, in Kentucky, near Williamson, was killed last Friday by a cut of saw. He was a good and trusty man and his untimely death is to be deplored.

## IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOL.

Mrs. Sherida Spradlin, formerly of Louisa, has been appointed one of teachers in the Prestonsburg public school. She had been a student in the K. N. C.

## MEN WANTED AT GOOD WAGES.

Skene & Richmond, who are doing the concrete work on the new Shelby creek railroad, in Pike county, want a number of men immediately to do ordinary labor. They are paying twenty cents an hour, which is \$2 per day for the usual number of hours. They are furnishing good board to their men at \$4 per week. Shelbyana is headquarters for this firm. This is a C. and O. station, eight miles above Pikeville.

## LAMBERT HELD FOR TRIAL.

The examining trial of Lawrence Lambert, whose arrest for the stealing of shoes from Charles Sanders, of Kile, was noted in this paper last week, was held Tuesday. The examination consumed the greater part of the day, and at its conclusion Lambert was held for trial at the next term of the circuit court. In default of \$300 bail he was committed to jail.

## A BARGAIN.

I have a lot 92x200 ft. on the street car line and in a very desirable location. I will sell 42 feet of this lot which will leave me 50 ft. on which to erect a dwelling. Price is \$400, cash, which is much less than its worth. If interested write for particulars. JOHN M. SARGRAVES, Huntington, W. Va. Jun23-12

Asphalt Streets Costing \$120,000.

Among the Kentucky cities not neglecting their streets is Lexington, which has awarded contracts amounting to \$120,000. These contracts were awarded to Carey & Reed, of Philadelphia, and provide for asphalt paving.

The Carey mentioned in the foregoing is Mr. George Carey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Carey, of this city.

## A NEW CHURCH.

The News is informed that a Union church is to be built on the land of Labe Wallace, not far from the forks of the Smoky Valley road. Mr. Wallace has given the site and the neighbors have subscribed liberally in money and labor. The work of erection will begin at once. All evangelical denominations will be free to use the new church.

## MARRIED IN WILLIAMSON.

Miss Beatie Byington, third daughter of Prof. and Mrs. W. M. Byington, and Ernest Reamele, second son of Mr. and Mrs. William Reamele, all of this city, went to Williamson and were married Wednesday, June 21. They returned to Louisa Tuesday afternoon. The age of the groom is 17 and that of the bride about the same.

## FOR SALE CHEAP.

Eight room house in Fort Gay. Four lots, some fruit and fine shade trees. Good location and handsome home. Reason for selling: going to leave State. For particulars apply at NEWS office. Jun23-11

## TAKE YOUR CHOICE.

The presence of George Rigg in the office of the Brunswick is a good sign that the young manager has gone to Lexington or Prestonsburg. He was there last week.

## Special Clean-Up Offerings

Our Anniversary sale has left a number of items that we desire to offer this week in order to completely clean up the departments of any surplus merchandise and a number of these items are particularly in demand at this time. We close the month with these several special items and in inviting you to see them we are inviting you to inspect something unusual in value and extra desirable.

## Ladies' Colored Wash Dresses

These dresses are on rack at the following special prices: \$12.50 values to \$7.85; 8.50 values \$6.35; 7.50 values \$6.45; 6.50 values \$3.85; 5.00 values \$2.19; 3.00 values \$1.73. A very pretty assortment of colors and styles to offer.

## Petticoat Specials at \$1.45

One lot of Heatherblouse petticoats and polka dot effects that are regular 2.00 and 2.50 values are offered for the next few days in special assortment at the above special price for choice of the lot. You will find a line of exceptional value.

## English Top Coats at Half Price

This is the first half price reduction on these coats for the season and they range in values from 12.50 to 25.00 and the materials are serges and fancy mixtures for a better description see the large window tonight.

## Extra Shirt Waist Specials

Tailored hand embroidered waists in limes, limerie, and in colored silks of the better kinds. 6.50 values for \$4.48; 7.50 values for \$4.98; 12.50 values for \$7.35. These price concessions are the greatest we have offered this season.

## The Anderson-Newcomb Co.

The Big Store

Huntington, W. Va.

## NOTICE.

To Road Supervisors of Lawrence County:

Gentlemen—I find in many parts of the county where dirt has accumulated on bridges, culverts, etc., thereby doing much damage to the floors. In working out the roads in the future, I think the time would be well spent in removing this dirt. I find a few that have to be refloored several years earlier on this account alone. Only a few hours work will save the county much.

JAS. H. THOMPSON, R. and B. Com.

## WELLMAN-CYRUS.

Fred, son of Sanders Wellman, and Thida, daughter of Joe Cyrus, came to Louisa last Saturday, procured a marriage license, hunted up the Rev. L. M. Copley and were by him united in wedlock. The ceremony took place on the sidewalk, near the residence of Al Hays. The newweds are both very worthy young people.

Mrs. D. J. Burchett Entertained.

On Friday afternoon last Mrs. D. J. Burchett entertained a large number with lunch and other things. Mrs. Burchett always delights her guests, and this week's function was up to the standard. Many games were enjoyed, and the "other things" were consumed with great relish.

## NOT DELINQUENT.

Cecil Mullins desires the public to know that he has paid his taxes and has a receipt therefor. Consequently he can not be a delinquent.

## NOTICE.

A special term of the Lawrence Fiscal Court is called for July 2nd, 1911, to be held at the court house, Louisa, Ky., in the interest of the roads and bridges of Lawrence county, also other important matters. The members of the Lawrence Fiscal Court will please take notice and respond promptly to this call. Given under my hand, June 13th, 1911.

J. L. B. DAVID BOGGS, J. L. C. C.

## A MOONSHINE RAID.

Special Revenue Agent L. T. McClure, of Louisa, and Deputy McClure, of Bracken county, returned Saturday from a raid into Floyd, Knott and Pike counties. They arrested bootleggers in some places, and in Floyd county they found and destroyed three stills.

## LIABLE TO CHANGE.

The News cannot publish a letter from "2 Ky. Girls" at Durbin, because, being Kentucky girls, they are liable to change their names any old time. We must have something more tangible.

## PACKAGE LOST.

Gate latch model, recently patented. Lost in Louisa or on road from Louisa to Adams. Finder please return to the Big Sandy News office. It's 4

James Deakins, one of the oldest and best known men in the Tug river country, died last week at the residence of his son, William Deakins, near Horsebarn, W. Va. He was 85 years old.

## C. &amp; O. WRECK NEAR ADEN.

Passenger train No. 26 on the Lexington division of the C. & O., east bound, was wrecked one mile east of Aden, Carter county, Wednesday.

The engine overturned, killing the engineer, Mat Kelley, of Mt. Sterling. Traveling engineer Watkins sustained a broken leg and Fireman Stump was slightly hurt. None of the passengers was injured.

## FIRE, SMOKE, WATER.

It's a cold fire that does nobody good. The public is reaping good from the fire, smoke and water sale of Nash & Herr. It began Tuesday, and the store has been thronged daily. Go early if you want bargains.

## SQUIRREL LAW IS OUT.

The squirrel law expired Wednesday night, and lovers of the sport are at liberty now to go to the woods and kill all they find. Squirrels are said to be more plentiful this season, and they will be on the market soon.

## AT HOME ON JEFFERSON.

Mr. L. S. Johnson and family are occupying what was called the Wallace Millard property on Jefferson street, just above the residence of D. J. Burchett. The house has been greatly improved.

Paul Hotchkiss, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hotchkiss, of Ashland, was married Wednesday last to Lela Elsie Winter, of Richmond, O. Paul Hotchkiss is one of the finest organists in this section.

## SPECIAL CUT PRICES

To attract quick cash trade I start my Clearance Cut Prices earlier this season. My stock is larger and more complete than ever. Thousands of dollars worth of splendid bargains in clean, newest goods. Sharp buyers will easily save money by comparing our low prices and good qualities with others. Let us show you.

Dry Goods, Notions, Shoes, Clothing, Gents Furnishings, Hats, Millinery, Ladies Wash Suits, Wash Dresses, Tailored Skirts, Rugs, Mattings, Curtains, Wallpaper, Trunks, Suit Cases. MILLINERY, The Latest Styles and Shapes, Half Price or Less

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## W.D. Pierce, The Dry Goods &amp; Shoe Store,

LEADERS IN LOW PRICES.

LOUISA, KENTUCKY



## Big Sandy News

Friday, June 30, 1911.



CURED.

Don't worry over eating ham, for you can be assured that though the pig may have been diseased, the ham has since been cured.

Howard Horton is out after an illness of a few days.

Mrs. H. C. Sullivan entertained the flinch club this week.

Just received a nice line of ribbons, lace, insertions at Sullivan Mdee Co.

Several (?) from this place are visiting relatives in Louisa. — Jenkins item.

Fine shirts, working shirts, and all kind of underwear at Sullivan Mdee Co.

Mrs. W. D. Pierce has been very sick for several days. Her trouble is rheumatism.

New sterling belt pins at Conley's Store being offered at half price just as a leader.

Dr. George Taylor, of Nolan, W. Va., died Saturday, the result of intestinal obstruction.

An epidemic of typhoid fever has hit Sandy Hook, Elliott county. There are several victims.

Coffee, soda, rice, tea, baking powder, packed and guaranteed under Pure Food Law for Sullivan Mdee Co.

The gas office has been moved to the building lately built by the company near the residence of K. F. Vinson.

Just received a fine line of hosiery. Silk stocking, short ones, long ones, black, white, tan, red. any old color at Sullivan Mdee Co.

Mr. L. F. Arnold, of Dunlow, and his daughter, Mrs. J. Walker Chapman, of Huntington, who had been

in this city for the past two weeks as patients of Dr. T. D. Burgess, have returned home. Father and daughter are much improved.

When out on a hunt for bargains don't overlook the mid-summer offerings of W. L. Ferguson & Co.

Mrs. Dock Jordan has returned from Nolan, W. Va., where she had gone in the capacity of trained nurse.

Fred Picklesimer and family left Thursday for Franklin Furnace, O. to visit the family of his brother John Henry.

The handsome residence of Mr. F. T. D. Wallace, at the corner of Jefferson and Main streets, has received a summer dress of paint.

Remember, we are headquarters for groceries, fruits, eggs, butter, chickens. Everything good to eat. Sullivan Mdee Co.

Several people from the Kiser neighborhood were here Tuesday attending the examination of Harrison Lambert, charged with larceny.

On Sunday last Dr. W. C. Condit, of Ashland, celebrated the 45th anniversary of his pastorate of the Presbyterian church of that city.

When more than one correspondent writes concerning the same event the News is compelled to use but one letter, giving precedence, usually, to the one first received.

James Rice, formerly at the C. & O. passenger depot, has a good place in U. S. engineer office at this place. "High Pocket" is an honest, industrious young fellow, and will find a way or make it.

Miss Carrie Hays, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hays, of Charley, died June 23, 1911, aged 19 years. Her death was caused by tuberculosis. She was a niece of Mrs. Henry Preston, of Louisa. An obituary notice is published elsewhere in this paper.

## FOR SALE.

I will, on Monday, July 10, 1911, sell to the highest bidder 2 logs, one oak, the other pine. Caught by me December 25, 1910. Terms cash. Brand G. I. C. IRA MILLS, Potter's Station. 11p.d.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Dr. Bromley was a visitor to Catlettsburg Sunday.

Rev. Cassady, of Olive Hill, was in Louisa last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Miller visited Paintsville Sunday.

Mont Holt has been visiting friends in Graham, Va.

Dr. and Mrs. J. D. Biggs have returned to Holden, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. James Kinstler have returned from Catlettsburg.

Mrs. B. J. Chaffin and Hubert, went to Yatesville Saturday.

Mrs. Dan Blankenship was shopping in Huntington Monday.

Miss Bessie Marcum, of Ceredo, is visiting relatives in Louisa.

Mrs. W. F. Austin, of Fullers, went to Portsmouth last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. O'Neal have returned from a trip to Cincinnati.

Miss Fannie Skeens, of this place, is visiting relatives at Yatesville.

A. M. Wheeler is making a business tour of Magoffin county this week.

Mrs. Ida Branham Hutchinson has returned from a visit to Glen Hayes.

Mrs. F. L. Stewart and daughter, Miss Vivian, were in Huntington last Tuesday.

Miss Ethel Smith, of Ashland, was the guest of Miss Bess Ward, last week.

Merchant W. L. Ferguson was transacting business in Cincinnati last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Carter, of Lock avenue, visited Yatesville relatives Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Hutchinson and children, of Williamson, were guests of Robert Dixon Friday.

Tobe French and his bright young son, August, of Vessie, paid this office a visit Monday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Anne Burgess, of Huntington, is the guest of her son, Dr. T. D. Burgess.

Milt Rigg, wife and children, of Portsmouth, have been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Sackie Atkins.

Mrs. Clyde Miller and Mrs. Geo. Skene visited Mrs. H. G. Wellman, of Cyrus, W. Va., Thursday.

Miss Rebecca Laker, left Saturday for a visit to friends in Columbus and West Jefferson, O.

Mrs. George R. Vinson spent the day with Mrs. H. G. Wellman, at Whites Creek, W. Va., Wednesday.

The Rev. Davis Holt and family of Mitchell, Ind., arrived Monday for a visit to relatives in this section.

Miss Mary Wray, of Altoona, Pa., who had been visiting Louisa relatives for some time, has returned home.

Mrs. George Atkinson went to Huntington Wednesday to meet her mother, Mrs. Jake Peters, of Logan, W. Va.

Mrs. Okey Gudgell Lee, of East Orange, N. J., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. G. W. Castle and other Louisa relatives.

Mrs. Abram Ferguson and daughter, Mrs. Della Warren, of Huntington, were guests of Mrs. Permelia Ferguson this week.

County Superintendent Jay O'Daniel left Saturday for Owensboro where he will attend the meeting of the State Educational Association.

Mr. and Mrs. John Conley, of Ashland, who have been visiting Louisa relatives, returned home Monday accompanied by Miss Ruth Conley.

The Misses Belle and Martha Vaughan, of Louisa, and Miss Gusie Preston, of Graves Shoals, have gone for a visit to friends at Wheelersburg, O.

The Misses May and Nora Sammons, accompanied by their brother Herbert, left Saturday last for Sedalia, Mo., where they will visit their brother, Harry.

Miss Ruth Harrison and brother, of Chanute, Kans., and Mrs. Annie Luther Copley, of Shoals, W. Va., were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Luther last week.

Mrs. J. M. Moore and four boys of Logan, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Moore, the boys' grandparents. They are accompanied by Mrs. Minnie Robinson, also of Logan.

VOTE

William Adams

FOR

GOVERNOR

DEMOCRATIC PRIMARY, SATURDAY,

JULY 1, 1911

(Paid Advertisement.)

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PICKLESIMER, E. E.  
SAMMONS, WILLIAM  
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VAUGHAN, P. H.

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### IN MEMORY.

On Saturday morning, June 10, 1911, our Heavenly Father called to himself our dear beloved companion and mother and friend, Laur B. Cochran, wife of Martin Cochran, of Torchlight. She was about 18 years old, and was the daughter of Leander and Nancie Hickman, both who have preceded her to the Promised Land. Laura was a good woman and a noble wife. She suffered with that dread disease consumption. Everything was done for her that human skill could do. Nothing could save her.

She suffered much, but thanks be to God she is free from all pain and suffering now. Why she was taken from her husband and little babe we cannot tell, but she has gone home, where parting will be no more. She is another tie to bind husband and brothers and sisters to God. She leaves behind her two brothers and two sisters. While they mourn the loss of a sister here let them look at God and trust him. Laura was a true Christian and died in full faith of a living God. It is a grand consolation for the husband, brothers and sisters to know where she is. Service held by Rev. J. T. Friley. Her body was laid to rest in the Joe McClure graveyard by the side of her father and mother at Chapman. A large crowd of relatives and friends gathered to witness the last sad rites of one they loved so dear.

A friend, M. H.

### LICK CREEK.

Quite a crowd from here attended church at Mary's Chapel Sunday.

Nard Holt and daughter, Miss Opal, were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Laud Holt Sunday.

Mrs. Thos. Asch was visiting her sister, Mrs. Dave See, of Fort Gay, Saturday.

Mrs. J. H. Wilson was shopping at Torchlight Saturday.

Quite a crowd of young folks were calling on Misses Mattie and Ve Asche recently.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Vaughan had a pleasant reunion at their home Saturday. Many of the children being present.

Webb Holt, of Busseyville, was calling on Miss Gypsy Thompson Sunday.

Dora Wilson visited her sister, Mrs. Henry Akers, Wednesday.

A large crowd of friends visited Miss Geneva Thompson Wednesday evening.

Misses Golda and Calista Wilson were visiting Mrs. S. H. Burton this week.

Quite a crowd from here will attend the foot washing at Brushy Sunday, July 2nd.

There will be an ice cream festia, at Mary's Chapel Saturday night.

Robt. Wilson was the guest of his cousin, Hugh Holt, Sunday.

Jas. Hardwick was calling on his friends Sunday.

Daisy.

WANTED:—At once men to work in woods, on road and in mill and yard. Wages paid \$1.50 up. Men with families desired.—ROCKCASTLE LUMBER CO., Meek, Ky. Jun 16th.



Write for you than agents or commission men. We buy Wool Hides Furs to our shippers. Write for price list. H. S. SHEL & SONS, Louisville, Ky.

### PRESS COMMENT.

On the Candidacy of R. L. "Bob" Greene for the Democratic Nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals—State Primary July 1.

#### "Bob" Greene in the Race.

Robert L. Greene, one of the best known lawyers of this section of the State, last night announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Mr. Greene was deputy clerk of the highest court for twenty years and is thoroughly familiar with the duties of the office. During the time he was engaged in the clerk's office he knew every lawyer in Kentucky, and was relied upon by those who had practice before the Court of Appeals. Mr. Greene twice made the race for the nomination for clerk, but was defeated each time. He served last under Sam J. Shackelford as the deputy clerk. He has always been a Democrat and has a large number of friends in the State who will rally to his support.—Kentucky State Journal.

#### The Man for the Place.

The News has nothing to say against any Democrat who is an aspirant for a nomination on the State ticket. When it comes to special fitness, popularity, artemth and location we have in mind a few aspirants which appear particularly desirable. There is Bob Greene of Frankfort. He is a splendid man, known to be the finest clerk in the State and has been treated rather badly by the party. He is a candidate for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. We do not think he could be improved upon.—Elizabeth-town News.

#### Finely Qualified for Post.

Lawyers all over the State, especially the older ones, who have practiced before the Court of Appeals, know the work that was done by Robert L. Greene, who he was deputy clerk of the Court of Appeals. The announcement of Mr. Greene for the nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals is of interest not only in Frankfort, but all over Kentucky, for Mr. Greene is known all over the State. He would make an ideal clerk, as he is finely qualified to hold the position. Frankfort News.

#### A Democrat Without Guile.

Robert L. Greene, of Frankfort, has announced himself a candidate for Clerk of Court of Appeals. For many years he was chief assistant in the office of the Clerk of the Court of Appeals and judges and lawyers throughout the Commonwealth are agreed that never was the office so well conducted as when Bob Greene was practically in charge. He is, besides being a very fine clerk, a gentleman of the highest character and a Democrat without guile. He ought to be nominated and elected.—Owensboro Messenger.

#### Old Home Endorses Him.

R. L. Greene, of Frankfort, a native of Bracken, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. "Bob" Greene served as deputy in this office for years, and his record is a good one. Bracken county should, and undoubtedly will be for him almost to a man.—Bracken Chronicle.

#### Endorsed by Bench and Bar.

Endeavoring to satisfy the only ambition he has ever had in a political way, Robert L. Greene, of Frankfort, has announced his candidacy for Clerk of the Court of Appeals, subject to the action of the Democratic State primary. He is endorsed by practically all the judges of the Court of Appeals and all concede his qualifications such as will make him an admirable clerk if elected. He has had the endorsement of the bar of the State in all of his races and his friends declare that in his qualifications he cannot be excelled by any candidate. He was born in Gallatin county and reared in Bracken. He has no opposition for the nomination and is not likely to have any.—Lexington Herald.

#### Made a Good Official.

Hon. Robert L. Greene, of Frankfort, has announced himself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. He formerly held the position of deputy clerk of that court and made one of the best officials the State has ever had.—Danville Advocate.

#### Has Reputation for Efficiency.

Mr. Robert L. Greene, now residing at Frankfort, has announced for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Mr. Greene had an experience of many years as Deputy Clerk in that office and made a reputation throughout the State for efficiency and faithfulness. The lawyers of Kentucky would be glad to see him elected to an office which he so much deserves.—The Kentuckian.

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### Citizen.

Bob Greene is a candidate for Clerk of the Kentucky Court of Appeals, and is one man who, in our opinion, deserves "the job." Greene has long aspired to be Clerk of Kentucky's Big Court. We know him to be qualified and worthy of the honor, more, he's as big a hearted Democrat as ever lived.—Jackson Times.

### Will be Hard to Beat.

It should be a source of great gratification to the legal profession and to the public generally to know that Bob Greene, as he is familiarly known, of Frankfort will be a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. The writer announces without a fear of successful contradiction that there is no man in the State of Kentucky better qualified to fill that position. During the days of old time Democracy he performed those duties with signal ability. No man was ever more courteous and accommodating to those having business before the Court of Appeals and in the office of that court. The intricacies of the office are familiar to him. He is a lawyer of ability, and honest to the core. His nomination will add strength to the ticket, and his election by the people will be an honor to the State.—The Falcon, Lebanon.

### R. L. Greene.

Attorney R. L. Greene, of Frankfort, has announced his candidacy for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. For many years he held the Deputyship and was commended by the Judges of that Court who said he was the best official the State ever had. Bob Greene, as he is so familiarly known here, where he formerly lived, will, we believe, receive every Democratic vote in Pendleton county; and many Republicans will come over to support him. Pendletonian.

Robert L. Greene, of Frankfort, has announced that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Mr. Greene's cards announcing his candidacy are now in circulation and have appeared in nearly every county in the State. Mr. Greene is now a practicing attorney before the Court of Appeals, but for a number of years he was a deputy in the office of Clerk of the Court of Appeals. There is perhaps no man in the State who knows as many members of the bar as he. There is perhaps no man other than those who have filled the office of Clerk themselves who are as familiar with the duties of the office as Mr. Greene. All the lawyers are acquainted with his alertness. Therefore he has started into the race with a big following, who are certain to be on hand to work in his interest at the polls when primary day rolls around.—J. D. W. in Cincinnati Enquirer.

We notice with pleasure the favorable comments of the press regarding "Bob" Greene's candidacy for Clerk of the Court of Appeals. Here's hoping that he will be given the nomination without opposition.—Georgetown News.

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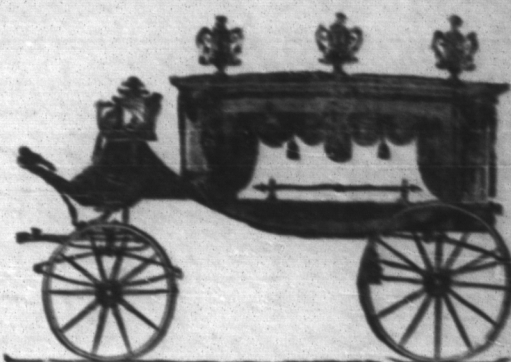
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### EFFORTS OFTEN MISDIRECTED

Good Roads Fever Carries Community  
Off Its Feet Frequently and Work  
Is Started Along Impractical Lines  
—Tax Levy Plan Wrong.

By HOWARD H. GROSS.

In forwarding any great movement, as the building of good roads, enthusiasm is essential, but unless this is coupled with a knowledge of the subject, it is a question whether it sometimes does not do more harm than good. The writer believes that a movement for better highways is often retarded by over-enthusiastic friends who are attempting to do something they do not understand. The proposition to build good roads throughout the land is a very big one, and exceedingly important. It is a question that must be handled in a big way. If anyone had suggested fifty years ago the building of a railway to the Pacific slope, he would have been declared at least visionary. This has been accomplished and today there are a half dozen such railways, and the four months' journey across the desert is now compassed in less than three days. While the building of good wagon roads throughout the country is an immeasurably big job, yet there are back of it boundless resources; there is far more to encourage us than the builders of these first great continental roads had to encourage them. Let us go forward

tax for hard roads that will produce perhaps \$1,000 or \$2,000 and expend it upon a gravel or macadam stretch of road, which is to be extended from year to year at a rate that will give the township a fair amount of hard roads, say, in twenty or thirty years. By the time the last mile is built under this plan, the first one is worn out, the rule being that the road once built receives no attention, and that the money raised is spent upon building more roads. The roads are usually built without much, if any, attention being paid to drainage, and the results are not always satisfactory. In fact, they are seldom what they should be. Those charged with the duty of spending the money nineteen times in twenty know little, if anything, of how the road should be built, and when it is finished it is usually about half as good as it ought to be and has cost nearly twice as much as it should, for let it be said again and again that the greater part of the taxes raised for highways is frittered away by misdirected effort. An eminent engineer, who has had extensive experience, says at least sixty per cent of the funds raised for highways is wasted. Certainly the waste is at least one-half. This being the case, it follows that one of the first things to do is to stop this awful waste and see that a dollar's worth of road results from every dollar expended, instead of forty to fifty cents worth. It ought to be clear that it is very important that roads should be constructed under expert supervision, and that a capable road engineer is needed. Of course it is not practical to have this and build the roads piece meal, a short stretch at a time, hence the township will find it wise, instead of an annual tax levy, to issue bonds to the full constitutional limit and build, say, fifteen to twenty miles of road at once and pay for them by the

give exact figures and have a concrete example, it will be necessary to take a typical farm in some portion of the central west, and apply the two plans to that farm. As the figures are at hand, the writer, selects an average farm in the corn belt of Illinois. There is no reason why this farm should be taken in preference to a farm in any other state, except that more complete data is at hand, hence it will be used. The same plan will apply with slight variations to other farms in other states, the owners of which, by getting the assessed valuation of their township and state, can figure out and ascertain each for himself just what the effect will be upon his farm.

The assessed valuation of an average 160 acre farm in the corn belt of Illinois is about \$3,000. Suppose the township, of which this is a part, has an assessed valuation of, say, \$200,000 and is out of debt. By the old plan, suppose there is an annual tax levy for ten years of 50 cents on one hundred dollars. This will produce \$2,000 per year, and in ten years will total \$20,000. This money spent under average local conditions means that about half of it will be wasted, and the farm in question will have to pay each year sixty cents on thirty hundred dollars or \$18.00 per year. The net result of this expenditure will be the paying out of \$20,000 during ten years, and probably will produce not much over \$10,000 worth of roads at what they ought to cost.

Suppose the new plan is adopted, by issuing bonds to the full constitutional limit of 5 per cent, paying the same off in installments spread over twenty years, and letting the next generation, who will use the roads, help to pay for them. The bond limit on the township in question is \$30,000, of which exactly \$15,000 rests upon the farm in question, to be paid off one-twentieth each year, or \$7.50 on account of principal each year for twenty years. Interest of course will be paid annually, but will decrease as the bonds are paid off. The first year's interest will be 5 per cent on \$15,000, or \$7.50. Add \$7.50 on account of principal, and the first year's payment on this farm for good roads is \$15.00.

The tenth year one-half of the bonds will be paid off, and the interest will drop to \$7.75, so that that year the tax will be \$12.25. The last year's payment will be \$7.50 on account of principal and 38 cents on account of interest, making a total of \$7.88.

Thirty thousand dollars of bond issue will build far more and far better roads on a general contract, than \$20,000 spent in ten years on a patch work plan, and the cost to the taxpayer will be considerably less as well.

Now, let us suppose that Illinois had, as it surely needs, an up-to-date state aid law, whereby one-half the amount required for building permanent roads should be paid from a state tax levy. If this condition obtained, then the township in question could after raising \$20,000, draw \$30,000 more from the state, and expend \$50,000 upon highways in their township. In Illinois less than one-third the property of the state is represented by farms, so the state tax will be spread over an immeasurably greater amount of property. A tax of ten cents on one hundred dollars for the state, will produce nearly \$2,500,000 a year, and the state aid tax upon the farm in question will be \$3.00 per year in order to raise the second \$30,000. This state tax would add \$3.00 to the tax bill of the farm in question, so the maximum amount per year, if \$50,000 were expended upon the roads of the township would be \$15.00 per year—less than 12 cents per acre per year, and take it for a series of years, anyone who can figure at all, will see that the cost to that community, spread over a series of years, will be even less under the bond contract plan, and that they can get, by the new plan, about three times as much road as they would upon the old. In handling road building in this big way, it will give an early and practical solution of the good roads problem, vastly better and more effective than to pass the 'cat' get up an entertainment and wear oneself out to raise the money to build a little bit of road.

## HOME CIRCLE COLUMN.

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Home should be made the most interesting and best loved spot on earth, not merely four square walls of wood and brick; it should be the fountain of civilization the very word should touch every fiber of the soul and strike every cord of the human heart with its angelic fingers a place where that is centralized on higher and better things of life, bringing forth in the highways and byways and influence that will be felt by all with whom it comes in contact. It should be a place where the heart is, a place where our feet may leave but not our hearts, a place where angels unfold their wings, the place to love best, because it is the place where mother is.

The best brought up family of children we knew were educated on the principle of always commending when it was possible to do so and letting silence be the reproof of any wrong doing which was not really serious. We have heard the children of this household, when their mother had failed to say any word of commendation after some social occasion, ask as anxiously as possible, "what was it, mamma? I know something was wrong. Didn't we treat the other children well, or were we too noisy?" In that house reproof was never bestowed unsought—only commendation of whatever it was possible to commend, was gratuitous. We think this system would be as good for those grown up children, the husband and wives, as for those still in the nursery.

The days come to us like friends in disguise, bringing price's gifts from an unseen hand; but if we do not use them, they are borne silently away, never to return. Each successive morning's new gifts are brought but if we fail to accept those that were brought yesterday and the day before, we are less and less able to turn them to account, until the ability to appreciate and utilize them is exhausted. Wisely was it said that lost wealth may be regained by industry, economy; lost knowledge by study, lost health by temperance and medicine but lost time is gone forever.

Some of us on both sides of the Atlantic have begun to realize that that serious study is less likely to injure women than pinched waists, late hours, hot rooms and unwholesome food, and we think it is better for our girls to be graduated at schools for science rather than at schools for scandal. We think it will better prepare them for the grave responsibilities of matrimony and motherhood than rapid life in which personal adornment is their chief aim and how to kill time and secure a rich husband, their principal anxiety.

The Fourth of July is rapidly becoming a day to be dreaded rather than enjoyed. The Fourth of July means the death of hundreds of children by explosives of different kinds. The daily papers on the Fifth of July never fails to contain column after column of death notices from toy pistols, fire crackers and various kinds of explosives. In New England the growing disgust that a day which should be hallowed by patriotic memories should be degraded into a day marked by the killing and maiming of hundreds if not thousands of children and into a day of torture for the sick and nervous and of dread and anxiety for the strong and well. The hospitals of the large cities on the Fourth of July are filled with youngsters of all ages, cut and burned, with their hands torn to shreds and their sight destroyed or injured, and the death due to lock-jaw alone would, if we were not calloused by custom, cause such an outcry that those who sell or parents who put into the hands of their children the deadly toys would be held up to general execration. That there is no exaggeration in this statement of the case is borne out by the newspapers of the morning following the Fourth in every city in the country. Among the sick and unwell or those who are in the least nervous the constant din and the sudden earth splitting explosions cause a degree of misery that in itself would justify the suppressions of all explosives even if they were entirely innocuous to those that handle them and to surrounding property. No one has the right to subject others to torture merely to amuse himself. To bring children up deliberately to disregard the comforts and well being of others is to touch license, not liberty, on the day that should be consecrated to liberty.



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When tempted to criticize the food on the home table, remember the adage that silence is golden. Criticism is never so exasperating to the housekeeper as at the table, where, in spite of hard work and worry, things will

occasionally appear that are not as she had planned.

The self that a woman takes with her in her marriage in her real dower. If her dower can be reckoned in numerals only, no matter how many they may be, wretched indeed will be her husband, impoverished her children, but if she possesses industry, gentleness, self-abnegation, purity, intelligence, combined with capability, she is in herself a treasure of treasures.

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Macadam Road Near Charlotte, N. C.

Here is a view of a North Carolina road built by convict labor. Note provision has been made for an earth road along side of the macadam roadway. Thus the traveler has the choice. When the earth road is in good condition it will be used, at other times travel will be upon the hard road. This is an excellent plan in every way.

with a stout heart and high purpose and with a clear head, and all will come out right.

In a good roads campaign one of the most important things is to learn some things that are not so, to get a view of the proposition from the right angle, and not to work along impractical lines. The good roads fever usually breaks out in some community with a burrah, to build a mile or two of hard roads, and there is a squabble to determine which particular road shall have the improvement. Selfishness crops out and must be reckoned with. When the particular road has been determined upon, then comes the question of raising funds. Those who are disappointed will give nothing; others will contribute various amounts; the banker, merchant and grain dealer are called upon and subscribe different sums; others will contribute labor; an entertainment will be held in the town hall, the proceeds to be devoted to the building of the road. The local paper will be filled with letters, interviews and editorials; everybody is putting himself

bond issue, paying off the bonds in installments. This is vastly better and cheaper than to build short stretches by an annual tax levy. Of course interest will have to be paid upon the bonds, but on the other hand the people will have good roads to use, and if the use of the roads is not worth more than the interest on the bonds required to build them, then road building is not worth while. The world's experience is that good roads are always worth several times what they cost to any community.

There are many advantages to this plan. By building many miles at once it is practical to have good engineering supervision and proper specifications, and the result will be a well drained, a better and a more durable road and one that will not cost nearly as much to maintain as one poorly constructed. Again, on so large a job contractors will figure lower than upon a small job and the best machinery and methods can be employed to advantage, so it is fair to say that twenty miles of road built under a single contract will cost from 15 to 20 per



Road Before Graveling at Nantland, Mo.

This road presents the worst possible conditions. It is intimated to attempt travel under such conditions.

on the back and talking of the wonderful program that is being made.

This is all very well so far as it goes, and perhaps the moral effect is good—it stirs up the community, but it does not do very much in the way of road building. Usually a half mile or so is the limit and may reach from the town to the country. Well, that does some good, and will give a departing citizen a smoother road in which than he had in life.

The money employed in such a campaign are wholly inadequate in the end slight. It reminds one of the old woman who proposed to keep the lion back with her broom.

There are also other unsatisfactory, expensive and wrong ways to take up this question. The most common one

cost less than if built a mile or so at a time. Again, the roads are all new at the same time and will be far more satisfactory to the people, and the benefits will be simultaneous to the whole community.

Suppose the state in which a given township is situated aids in building permanent roads, under the plan that is followed in more than one-half the states. This will make the roads built a much lighter burden.

Let us see how the matter of taxation will affect the owner of a typical farm by the two plans of road building, that is, a little each year by an annual tax levy, and the other by a bond issue, supplemented by state aid, or in other words, by comparing the old way with the new. In order to

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the Sheriff's office on the 15th day of October, 1910. He failed to state that my name was on the book twice, but collected the larger one and said nothing about the smaller.

Yours respectfully,  
G. L. RIFFE.

### DIED AT BLAINE.

Nellie Gartin Holbrook, infant daughter of Chas. R. and Nora Holbrook, was born at Blaine, Ky., June 4th, 1911, and died June 20th, 1911.

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## QUINTESTAMENT TIMES BROOKLYN TABERNACLE BIBLE STUDIES

### SENNACHERIB TURNED BACK

Isaiah 37:34-38—July 2  
"God is our refuge and strength, a very present help in trouble."—Ps. 46:1

IN A previous study our attention was drawn to the good King Hezekiah of Judah, his zeal for the Lord and the notable Passover celebration which he brought about and the overthrow of idolatry following. Our present study relates to him at a later period in his reign. The Assyrian empire to the north and east, with its capital at Nineveh, had become great and powerful and threatened to become the first Universal Empire.

Before Hezekiah came to the throne of Judah his father entered into a treaty whereby peace was secured by the payment of an annual tribute. Egyptians, Philistines and Sidonians urged Judah to join them in the confederacy by which they hoped all might regain their liberty from the Assyrian yoke. Urged by his people, Hezekiah joined this confederacy and stopped the tribute money—contrary to the Lord's admonition through the Prophet Isaiah. The measure was popular, and the king did not seem to realize how fully the Prophet represented the Lord in the matter. He should have remembered that Israel was under a special Covenant with the Almighty by which He was their Sovereign, their King, and the Arbitrator of their destiny. The error was allowed to work out a serious penalty for the disobedient, but when the king and the people repented and gave evidence that the lesson had been learned Divine mercy came miraculously to their assistance, as we shall see.



Hezekiah's Prayer.

### Sennacherib the Conqueror

The King of Assyria, with a large army, took the field. Knowing the difficulties of a siege of Jerusalem, he did not begin with it, but passed down the Mediterranean coast, overthrowing the Sidonians and Philistines, to Joppa and farther south; and then eastward to Lachish, a fortified city of Judah. The whole country was filled with fear, as nearly forty cities of Judah, one after the other, fell. King Hezekiah and his counselors resolved to avoid, if possible, a siege of war, and sent ambassadors to King Sennacherib apologizing for their temerity in refusing the tribute money and asking what compensation would satisfy him.

The penalty was a heavy one, amounting to nearly one million dollars, which at that time was a much larger sum than it would be today. The payment of it required the removal of much ornamental gold from the temple, but it was paid over and the release granted.

The Lord was waiting to be gracious, as He always is to those who are His true people.

He delayed, however, to give the word of comfort, until the necessities of the case had humbled the people and taught them a lesson of faith and dependence upon their God. Then came the answer of the Lord, the prophecy that the King of Assyria should not come into the city nor shoot an arrow there, nor even come before it with shields, nor cast up embankments of siege, but that the Lord would defend the city as His own. Doubtless the prophecy seemed strange to the people. By what miracle this could be accomplished they could not think. The lesson to us is that:

"God moves in a mysterious way His wonders to perform; He plants His footsteps in the sea, And rides upon the storm."

A Hundred and Eighty-five Thousand Slain in a Night

Isaiah briefly and poetically declares that the angel of the Lord smote the camp of the Assyrians, without explaining in what manner. We remember the statement of the Scriptures that wind and fire and lightning may be the Lord's messengers or "angels." Quite probably, in this instance, the messenger of death may have been a malignant form of fever said to prevail at times to the northeast of Egypt; but it matters not to us what messenger the Lord used to turn back the Assyrian hosts.

The lesson for us is to note the Divine power which overrules, orders and directs, so that all things shall work together in harmony with His will. It was not His will that Assyria should become the first Universal Empire. That honor was reserved for the kingdom of Babylon, a century later—at exactly the proper time when God was prepared to withdraw His own typical kingdom, of the line of David, from the earth—to be "overturned, overturned, overturned" until The Messiah should come.

The lesson to the Christian is that we should keep right with God, abiding under the shadow of the Almighty; and that so doing, all things shall work together for our good.

### PLEASANT RIDGE.

Rev. Berry filled his appointment here Saturday night, but several were disappointed on account of the rain.

Millard Bradley and John Nelson make frequent trips to Catt and Twin Branch.

Several young folks attended the party at Sam May's Thursday night.

Miss Ida and Cora Berry visited relatives at Yatesville Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Violet Roberts and Ivory Burchett, of Little Blaine, were visitors here last week.

Among the sick this week are Harrison Ferrell and Millard Bradley.

Ziegler Adkins and daughter, Miss Lizzie, of Christmas, passed through here Saturday en route to Louisa.

Arthur Marcum, of Millett, W. Va was calling on friends here Sunday.

Mrs. M. Nelson visited Mrs. Sarah Roberts Friday.

Anderson Moore, of Mattie, passed through here Monday.

J. N. Frazier and granddaughter, Miss Dollie Dameron were in Louisa Saturday.

Damer Lyons, of Oale, paid Miss Cora Berry a visit Sunday.

Mrs. Wert Muncy and children and sister-in-law, Miss Emma Muncy were the guests of Mrs. Georgia Hutchinson a few days last week. Nobodys darling.

### IN MEMORY.

Carrie Hayes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Hayes, died June 23rd, at the age of 19 years. She was laid to rest in the grave yard overlooking the home. We all miss Carrie. There is a vacant place in the home which never can be filled. All too soon she fell a victim to disease and pain. We miss her sadly, but our loss is her eternal gain. God in love and mercy called her and set her spirit free. This mortal life is but a span compared with immortality. When through the dark valley we all are called to pass God has promised to be with us if we are faithful to the last. Her soul took its flight to that beautiful shore where her dear brother had gone to greet her. There around God's throne where sickness and death never come, they are beckoning father and mother, sisters and brothers to that beautiful city above where all is peace, joy, happiness and love.

We know our dear children can not come to us, but we can go to them if by faith in God we trust.  
Aunt—Mrs. J. H. P.

### FIRE AT THACKER.

There was quite a fire at Thacker Mines No. 3, Wednesday evening when nineteen houses belonging to the Thacker Coal and Coke Co. were burned. They were occupied by employees of the Thacker company and the loss is estimated at \$19,000 partly covered by insurance.

## In Bad Fix

"I had a mishap at the age of 41, which left me in bad fix," writes Mrs. Georgia Usher, of Conyers, Ga. "I was unconscious for three days, and after that I would have fainting spells, dizziness, nervousness, sick headache, heart palpitation and many strange feelings. "I suffered greatly with ailments due to the change of life and had 3 doctors, but they did no good, so I concluded to try Cardui."

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### GALLUP.

Bro. Riffle will fill his regular appointment here Sunday and Sunday night.

Arnold Childers made a business trip to Louisa Saturday.

Mrs. A. S. Gikerson and Nannie Dobbins were calling on Mrs. T. J. Burgess Saturday.

Trymbol Chapman, of Donithan, was here Monday.

J. N. Belcher, of Prestonsburg, spent Saturday and Sunday with home folks.

Miss Georgia Harris was shopping in Louisa last week.

Misses Maggie Belcher and Dolly Adkins were calling on Mrs. W. T. Belcher Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Childers spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Childers.

We are proud to call Mr. Sammons our school teacher again this year and we learn that he will begin school the 24th of July.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Cassell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. Belcher.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. McClellan Chapman, Saturday night a fine boy.

Mrs. Blanche Priest was visiting her parents Sunday.

W. T. Belcher and wife, were visiting home folks Sunday.

E. B. Gikerson was in Louisa Saturday.

Miss Tennie Dobbins has returned after several days visit in Louisa.

Misses Jennie Belle Thompson and Katherine Steward were shopping in our town Monday.

Miss Corlida Chapman was visiting in Louisa and Fort Gay last week.

### REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

To the Republican Electors of Lawrence County, Ky.:

In obedience to the call of the Republican State Committee of Kentucky and the Rules governing the Republican organization, the Republican voters of Lawrence county, are hereby called to meet in mass Convention at the Court House at Louisa, Ky. on Saturday, July 8th, 1911, at 1:30 o'clock P. M. standard time for the purpose of selecting delegates to attend the Republican State Convention, which will convene in the City of Louisville, Ky., Tuesday, July 11th, at 12:30 P. M. the said State Convention being called for the purpose of nominating candidates for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Attorney General, Auditor, Treasurer, Secretary of State, Superintendent of Public Instruction, Commissioner of Agriculture Labor and Statistics and Clerk to the Court of Appeals to be voted for at the November election, 1911.

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